Forecast For Orkney & Shetland
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Headline:
Sunny intervals and wintry showers.

Today:
A bright day with some sunny intervals, along with further wintry showers, mostly of rain or sleet, but some heavier ones will be of snow with accumulations on hills. Moderate westerly breeze. Maximum temperature 4 deg C (39 deg F).

Tonight:
A mixture of clear intervals and rather frequent wintry showers, occasionally snow to lower levels but further accumulations mainly over higher ground. Some ice and patchy snow lower down. Minimum temperature -1 deg C (30 deg F).

Sunday:
Another bright but cold day with some sunshine along with further wintry showers, mainly rain around the coasts but with light winds heavier ones a little inland will be snow. Maximum temperature 4 deg C (39 deg F).

Outlook for Monday to Wednesday:
Scattered, and at times wintry, showers will continue over the coming days, with some sunny spells in between. Light winds and frosts.

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